

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Thomas Heering Confirmation No.: 9176
 Serial No.: 09/856,537 Art Unit: 3692
 Filed: September 7, 2001 Examiner: Jennifer L. Liversedge
 For: METHOD FOR BILLING SERVICES Attorney Docket No.: 11829-003-999
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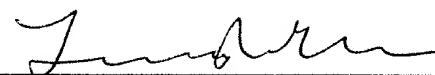
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated October 3, 2007, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 3, and 6-10 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 3 month(s):
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Respectfully submitted,

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